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II. AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

Amendment to the Claims

- 1. (Previously presented) A valve for use in controlling the flow of liquid out of a container, the valve comprising a valve body having an inlet and an outlet for liquid, a valve seat, and a valve member movable onto the valve seat to close the valve, the valve also comprising a secondary seal in the form of a barrier member positioned to prevent any leakage of liquid from the valve outlet.
- 2. (Previously presented) A valve as claimed in Claim 1, having means to breach the barrier when it is desired to use the valve to dispense liquid.
- 3. (Previously presented) A valve as claimed in Claim 2, in which the means to breach the barrier is activated by movement of the valve member off the valve seat.
- 4. (Currently amended) A valve as claimed in <u>Claim 1</u> any one of the preceding claims, in which the barrier comprises a membrane.
- 5. (Previously presented) A valve as claimed in Claim 4, in which the membrane has at least one line of weakness to facilitate breaching of the membrane.
- 6. (Currently amended) A valve as claimed in Claim 4, or Claim 5, in which the valve has a breaching member, the valve being such that movement of the valve member off the valve seat forces the membrane into engagement with the breaching chamber.
- 7. (Previously presented) A valve as claimed in Claim 6, in which the breaching member comprises a sharp edge.

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- 8. (Currently amended) A valve as claimed in Claim 6 or Claim 7, in which the breaching member is arranged at an angle such that when the valve seat, the membrane is initially brought int engagement with a first part of the breaching member, thus applying concentrated breaching pressure to the membrane.
- 9. (Currently amended) A valve as claimed in <u>Claim 6 any one of claims 6 to 8</u>, in which the breaching member is provided with one or more teeth.
- 10. (Currently amended) A valve as claimed in <u>Claim 4 any one of the preceding claims</u>, in which the valve member is mounted in the valve body such that the valve member performs translational movement between open and closed positions.
- 11. (Currently amended) A container as claimed in <u>Claim 4 any one of the preceding claims</u>, in which the valve member is mounted in the valve body such that the valve member performs transitional movement between opened and closed positions.
- 12. (Previously presented) A container as claimed in Claim 11, comprising an ISO container.